



AQMD and Burbank Water and Power have Grant Programs available for Non-Perc Dry Cleaning Equipment

Available from AQMD:
\$20,000 for CO₂ machines
Up to \$ 10,000 for Wet Cleaning systems
\$5,000 for Hydrocarbon machines



Available from BWP:
\$2,000 for each facility awarded an AQMD grant

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) will be conducting additional outreach meetings to explain the recent amendments to the dry cleaning rule (Rule 1421), and describe their grant program intended to encourage dry cleaners to purchase new, non-perc cleaning systems. BWP will be hosting an outreach meeting at 7:30 pm on Wednesday, October 15, 2003 at the Central Library located at 110 N. Glenoaks Blvd. You are invited to attend.

Additionally, the City Council has approved Burbank Water and Power (BWP) to offer a supplemental grant program for Burbank dry cleaners that have successfully been awarded an AQMD grant. The BWP supplemental grant program will also be discussed at the October 15th meeting. There is a limited amount of grant money available and funds must be awarded by January 31, 2004 for the BWP supplemental grant, so don't miss your opportunity to apply.



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